

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
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ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 87-25

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: BEGINNING DATE OF AID FOR NEWBORNS (AFDC, RCA, ECA, AND RDP)

The purpose of this letter is to reaffirm the "date of birth" as the beginning date of aid (BDOA) for newborns, as stated in Manual of Policy and Procedures (MPP) Section 44-317.221. Due to an unusual number of letters and telephone calls with regard to this issue, we have determined that this letter of clarification is needed to ensure that aid for newborns commences in accordance with State regulations.

In addition, aid for the otherwise eligible unaided father of the newborn is to begin on the newborn's date of birth in accordance with MPP Section 44-317.222.

If you have questions regarding this letter or any beginning date of aid issue, please contact Judy Moore at (916) 324-2017 or ATSS 454-2017.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert A. Horel", is positioned above the typed name.

ROBERT A. HOREL
Deputy Director

cc: CWDA